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SUBJECT: REPORTED TURKISH DISSATISFACTION WITH
ADMINISTRATION PROPOSAL

REFS: (A) ANKARA 2353; (B) ANKARA 2351; (C) BONN 05043

1. VISITING TURKISH MINISTERS (CETIN AND BULUTOGLU)
HAVE TOLD THE FOREIGN OFFICE THAT ECEVIT AND THE MILITARY
ARE DISSATISFIED WITH THE ADMINISTRATION'S FOUR-POINT
PACKAGE PROPOSAL ON TURKEY.

2. THE FOREIGN OFFICE DEPUTY DIRECTOR FOR MEDITERRANEAN
AFFAIRS (BENSCH) INFORMS US THE MINISTERS, WHO ARRIVED
IN BONN ON APRIL 2, TOLD HIM THAT A "GLOOMY ATMOSPHERE"
PREVAILED IN LEADING POLITICAL AND MILITARY CIRCLES
AFTER THE DEPUTY SECRETARY'S PRESENTATION OF THE
PACKAGE. CETIN AND BULUTOGLU REPORTEDLY SAID THAT
TURKISH OFFICIALS BELIEVED THE PROPOSED ECONOMIC
ASSISTANCE WAS INSUFFICIENT. THE MILITARY WAS SAID
TO BE PARTICULARLY CONCERNED THAT A ONE-YEAR DCA WOULD
INHIBIT MEDIUM-TERM PLANNING. THE MILITARY WAS
REPORTED TO REGARD THE PACKAGE AS FAVORING GREEK

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INTERESTS OVER TURKISH SECURITY NEEDS.

3. THE MINISTERS MAINTAINED THAT ECEVIT WOULD VOICE
PUBLIC SUPPORT FOR THE PACKAGE, BUT THAT HE HAD
PRIVATELY EXPRESSED HIS DISAPPOINTMENT WITH THE
ADMINISTRATION'S PROPOSALS.

4. ACCORDING TO BENSCH, CETIN AND BULUTOGLU GAVE NO
INDICATION THAT ECEVIT MIGHT PRESS THE ADMINISTRATION
TO MODIFY THE PROPOSED PACKAGE.
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